

ARMY & NAVY

END YEAR WITH GRAND BANQUET AT UNION GRILL

Navy Yard Employees of Pearl Harbor Listen to Program of Much Interest

Pearl Harbor Branch No. 10 of the National Association of Classified Civil Service Employees of Navy Yards and Stations held its annual meeting at the Union Grill last evening.

After hearing the annual reports of its retiring officers and electing officers for the ensuing year, an adjournment was taken and all hands and the guests tackled the banquet.

When satisfactory progress had been made Toastmaster Fred G. W. Cooper called on President G. B. Wilkins to respond to the toast of the President of the United States and for a resume of the association's accomplishments during the past year. In a careful review of the year's work Mr. Wilkins invited attention to the successful efforts of the officers of the National Association in having introduced in the navy appropriation bill as passed the items increasing the annual leave with pay from 15 to 30 days, and permitting leave to accrue for four years, the latter item affecting only the naval stations situated in our island possessions.

Then followed short talks by officers and members, including Messrs. S. M. Starratt, C. F. House, T. C. Nixon and others, interspersed with original poems by "Doc" Nichols, vocal and instrumental solos by D. H. Paul, and diatonic stories by C. P. McAvoy. Tagalog narratives by E. H. Murphy, recitations by the original Venetian, and songs and stories by "Spike" Hazlewood.

DOUBLE ANNIVERSARY FOR 25TH SERGEANT IS GALA OCCASION

(Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence)
SCHOFIELD BARRACKS, Oct. 3.—The United Spanish war veterans' hall, 25th Infantry, was the scene of a delightful gathering recently, the occasion being a celebration of the 25th anniversary of the marriage of 1st Sergeant John B. Kemp, Company E, 25th Infantry, and Mrs. Kemp, at an autumn buffet entertainment. It also marked Sergeant Kemp's forty-fifth birthday and his fifth year of continuous service with the 25th Infantry, his former service having been with the 24th Infantry.

A cordial reception was tendered by the hostess, and according to all accounts the jolliest crowd of the season was in attendance. The hall was most beautifully decorated for the occasion, the party lasting from 8 until about 11 p. m.

Those present were Chaplain and Mrs. G. W. Proleau, Mrs. E. Smith, Sgt. Major A. A. Marrow, 25th Infantry; Chief Musician and Mrs. Leslie King, Color Sergeant and Mrs. William Frederick, Bat. Sgt. Maj. George M. Murphy, Sgt. and Mrs. John Kenney, Sgt. and Mrs. J. H. Allen, Sgt. and Mrs. S. Reid, Sgt. and Mrs. Dorsey, Musician Baker, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Howard, Corp. Perryman, 1st Sgt. N. E. Swinton, Miss Morris, Miss Jeter, Mr. and Mrs. Polikoff, Mr. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Hanger, Mr. and Mrs. Wright, Corp. and Mrs. Crowell, Corp. and Mrs. Cobb, Corp. J. E. Brown, Corp. and Mrs. Davis, Sgt. and Mrs. C. W. Owens, Sgt. and Mrs. W. B. Proctor, Sgt. and Mrs. Lisle, Sgt. and Mrs. Hollingsworth, Sgt. and Mrs. E. Hawkins, Sgt. and Mrs. Boss Smith, Sgt. and Mrs. L. Jackson, Bugler Sgt. and Mrs. Brown, Sgt. and Mrs. E. C. Knox, Sgt. and Mrs. E. D. Saunders, Mr. Perkins, Mrs. Kate Milton, Mr. and Mrs. Coleman, Sgt. Russell, Sgt. Levell, 1st Sgt. Wm. Bryson, Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, Mrs. Brown, Corp. Thomas, Corp. and Mrs. Page, Mrs. White, Cook and Mrs. Davis, Musician and Mrs. Lauderback, Corp. and Mrs. Briggs, Mrs. Mary Heard, Corp. and Mrs. G. G. Gerby, Sgt. and Mrs. S. G. Barnes, Sgt. and Mrs. C. H. Austin, Sgt. and Mrs. J. Wheeler, Sgt. and Mrs. Robinson, Sgt. and Mrs. C. H. Barbour, Sgt. and Mrs. T. Patton, Sgt. and Mrs. J. Gwiley, Sgt. and Mrs. Jarrell, Sgt. and Mrs. Spratt, Sgt. and Mrs. John Wynn.

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Fort Shafter Notes

(Special Star-Bulletin Correspondence)
FORT SHAFTER, Oct. 4.—Companies of the 1st Battalion, 2nd Infantry, were ordered to report at the Spanish war veterans' building yesterday for the proficiency test, marching via King street and Kamehameha IV road. All officers for duty with the proficiency test except Lieut. Col. William Weigel, reported at Signal Corps corral at 6:45 a. m.

A very clear and important order has been received by Fort Shafter officers pertaining to the courses for the training of mobile troops of the National Guard assigned into the service of the United States. It deals with theoretical and practical instructions and divides the courses.

An opinion is given by the judge advocate general on the following important subject, that an enlisted man discharged from the regular army, to accept a commission in the National Guard in the service of the U. S., is required to reenlist in the regular army within three months, that is, from the time of his discharge as an enlisted man in order to become entitled to the continuous service pay. This answers another one of the conundrums raised by the border situation.

Hereafter examining boards in considering the efficiency of an officer for promotion may decide, according to the following standards: 1. The use the officer has made of his opportunities. 2. His practical ability to use professional knowledge. 3. His general trustworthiness and ability in performance of duties. 4. His ability to command troops or control men.

The soldiers at Fort Shafter of the Hebrew faith will observe the Day of Atonement of Yom Kippur on Saturday, October 7.

Pvt. Abe Kalish, Machine Gun Co., 2nd Infantry, Fort Shafter, has been ordered by the department to be discharged by purchase.

Capt. Norris Stayton, the well-known officer of the Coast Artillery, equally well-known to Fort Shafter baseball men as one of the best baseball umpires ever on the island, will leave for the mainland about the first of the year. The baseball fans will regret his departure, for he has always been square, accurate and well versed in the rules of baseball and will be difficult to replace.

Sgt. Wilson, Quartermaster Corps Fort Shafter, has received word that he will leave for the coast about the 5th of March, next year.

The following transfers are ordered: Pvt. Noah H. Southern, Troop K, 4th Cavalry, to Co. D, 3rd Regiment Engineers, Fort Shafter; and Wagoner Francis B. Boyett, Supply Co., 2nd Infantry, to Honolulu Q. M. Corps, in the Depot Detachment.

Corpl. Samuel E. Lyeth of the Quartermaster Corps; Fort Shafter, received his rank of sergeant clerk as a result of his examination for the same last March; his warrant dates from September 18, 1916, and he is ordered to report to the commanding general at Schofield Barracks for duty.

ANNOUNCE CHANGE IN STATUS OF OFFICERS

Because of the large number of promotions recently in the army it has been found necessary at Schofield Barracks to change the status of several majors, captains and lieutenants of the 4th Cavalry. Orders just issued from post headquarters announce the following attachments for officers:

Maj. Benjamin B. Hyer, to the 1st Squadron, and Maj. Hamilton S. Hawkins, to the 3rd Squadron; Capt. Jerome G. Pillow to Troop 1, Leonard W. Prunty, acting regimental adjutant and commanding headquarters troop; Charles J. Naylor to Troop G, Kerr F. Riggs to Troop I, William S. Martin, 3rd Cavalry, to Troop C; Robert R. Love to Troop B, Thomas A. Rothwell to Machine Gun Troop, John K. Herr to Troop H, Philip J. R. Kiehl to Troop M; 1st Lieut. Charles M. Haverkamp to Troop L, Harrison H. C. Richards to Troop D, Dexter C. Rumsey to Troop C, Eugene A. Lehman to Troop E, Daniel E. Murphy to Troop I, Leopold J. H. Horwig to Troop A, Raymond E. McQuillan to Troop H, William Nalle to Troop G, Eugene M. Owen to Troop F.

CAPT. JANDA ELECTED PRESIDENT OF MESS

Capt. Joseph Janda was elected president of the 1st Infantry officers' mess at a recent meeting at Schofield Barracks. Other officers were Lieut. Walter Greason, secretary; Capt. Frank Halstead, Lieut. Roy James and Lieut. John N. Smith, Jr., board of directors. Col. Richard C. Croston, Capt. Harry E. Knight and Lieut. John W. Simons were appointed as a committee on bylaws.

Have you tried the "Manoa Special"? It's a delicious combination of whipped cream, pineapple and ice cream—served only at the sanitary fountain of Benson, Smith & Co.

Posses were rushed to Apache, Ariz. forty miles east of Douglas, in search of six bandits, who held up the Rock Island limited.

An electrically heated coffee percolator made of earthenware, has been patented by a New York inventor.

GEN. MILLS WAS BOTH OFFICER AND GENTLEMAN

High Tribute to Late Chief of Militia Affairs By Secretary Baker

High tribute to the late Maj. Gen. Albert L. Mills, who at the time of his death a short time ago was chief of the division of militia affairs at Washington, is given in a statement issued on the day of his death by Secretary of War Newton D. Baker. Gen. Mills was known personally to several of the older officers of the Hawaiian Department.

"I have a deep sense of personal loss in the death of Gen. Albert L. Mills," wrote Secretary Baker. "From the time of my coming to Washington he has been more than zealous in his self-sacrificing devotion to the affairs of the Militia Bureau, of which he was the head. His patience, wisdom and kindness have greatly simplified both my task in becoming familiar with the War Department and the difficult undertaking which fell to the department upon the call of the militia to the Texas border."

Plainly, the devotion of Gen. Mills to his work took strength with which he might otherwise have been able to resist the sudden illness.

Few officers in the service have had a more distinguished or varied career. In active military operations he was severely wounded, but recovered his health and became the builder of the new West Point, which is undoubtedly the most monumental military school in the world. His last years have been spent in reorganizing the militia and bringing about a higher degree of sympathy and cooperation between it and the regular army.

"His death marks the passing of a brave soldier, a cultured educator, a fine administrative officer and an upright gentleman."

ARMY ORDERS

1. The following transfers of enlisted men are ordered:

Pvt. Clarence F. Taubee, Troop D, 4th Cavalry, to Company D, 3rd Regiment of Engineers, Fort Shafter.

Musician 3rd Class John P. Newhard, 13th Band, Coast Artillery Corps, as a private to Headquarters Company, 32nd Infantry, Schofield Barracks.

The following changes of station of enlisted men of the Quartermaster Corps are ordered:

Sgt. Frederick W. Smith (appointed from private first class, effective September 9, 1916) to Fort Kamehameha.

Sgt. Samuel E. Lyeth (appointed from corporal, effective September 18, 1916) to Schofield Barracks.

2. Pvt. Joseph Kolar, Company A, 1st Infantry, Battalion Sgt.-Maj. William Washington, Pvt. John Holman, Company G, John W. Edwards, Company I, and Vertuous H. Chapman, Company L, 25th Infantry, and Pvt. Hugh A. Westall, Company D, 32nd Infantry, Schofield Barracks, are transferred as privates to the Quartermaster Corps at that post and will report to the commanding officer for duty accordingly.

3. Pvt. Ras L. Bennett, Coast Artillery Corps, 1st Company, Fort Kamehameha, is transferred to the Quartermaster Corps at that post and will report to the commanding officer for duty accordingly.

Capt. Hornsby Evans, Infantry, is relieved from duty as aide to Brig. Gen. R. K. Evans, U. S. army, and is announced as department casual officer and in command of headquarters detachment, with station in this city, from date hereof.

Pursuant to telegraphic instructions from the war department, dated September 26, 1916, Col. Carl Reichmann, Infantry, is relieved from duty in this department and will proceed on the transport sailing on or about October 5 to San Francisco, Cal., where upon arrival he will report to the commanding officer, Southern department, for assignment to duty. The travel di-

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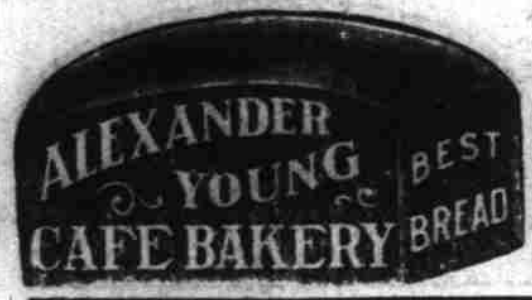
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The Chinese finance minister admitted that a \$5,000,000 loan agreement was signed with Japanese bankers, upon security of the Yangtze Valley mines.

The bureau of weights and measures, investigating the bread situation in New York, was informed that 150 bakers had been forced out of business recently.

rected is necessary in the military service.

Pvts. Maybon Ingram, Battery E; Joseph E. Dalrymple, Battery F, 9th Field Artillery, and Pvt. First Class Thomas Ryan, Company I, 1st Infantry, Schofield Barracks, are transferred as privates to the Quartermaster Corps at that post.



CITY AFFAIRS AND SUPERVISOR NOTES

The next meeting of the board of supervisors will be held Tuesday, October 10.

The request from Kahuku school for new chairs was referred to the school committee.

A petition asking for the appropriation of \$300 for the public baths passed the first reading.

A petition signed by 19 residents of Royal Grove, Waikiki, requesting electric lights, was referred to the electric light committee.

The supervisors Tuesday night approved the payment of \$31.40 to Castle & Cooke refunding freight on material which should have been paid by the manufacturer.

The report of the police committee granting a request to change the back stand at the corner of Smith and Hotel streets to an automobile stand was approved by the board.

The board has accepted the Kala-kaua avenue assessment roll presented by the city engineer which calls for a total assessment of \$96,290 or \$4.30 a front foot with a probable addition of 38 cents for curbing.

The preliminary report of the city engineer on the estimated cost of paving Smith street from Beretania to Queen streets, passed its first reading Tuesday night. The reports calls for a total cost of \$145,652.10, which means an assessment of \$4.85 per front foot.

The report of the building inspector showed that during September 123 permits had been issued, of which 104 were with fees. The estimated cost of the buildings provided for in these permits totaled \$183,271.50, and the amount deposited with the city treasurer was \$415.10.

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